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## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Screen Wire. Holloway Bros.  
Fruit Jars. Holloway Bros.  
Miss Lola Buchanan returned Tuesday.  
Selling out at Cost. E. Heineke, Grocer, 51,1t  
For service buy Good Year Tires. Citizens Motor Car Co.  
Mrs. Henry Merriman spent the first of the week with friends in Kerrville.  
FOR SALE—a Buggy, in good condition. Apply to this office. 51,1t  
Phone 37 for special auto livery. McClaugherty & Son. 25-1t  
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Venable were here Sunday from San Antonio the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Pike.

Mrs. Laughlin and daughter of Pahrump visited Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Pike Sunday.

FOR SALE—a \$26 Refrigerator for \$15. Good as new. Apply at this office. 49,4

Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Nixon and Mrs. Homer Nixon of Pearsall and San Antonio were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boon this week.

Nux-I-Tone will give you strength, vigor and put iron in your blood. Try it. For sale only at Windrow's Drug Store. 52-2t

Three companies of infantry, moving from Camp Eagle Pass to Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, passed through here about 4:00 o'clock Wednesday morning. They were traveling in army trucks.

The first bale of cotton of the 1918 season was brought in Wednesday. It was raised by Sid Wilson of the Yancy section, was ginned by the Hondo Gin & Milling Co., weighed 448 pounds, passed strict middling and was purchased by the Hondo Mercantile Co. for 27c a pound.

County Agent T. N. Lee was carried to a hospital in San Antonio Monday. Some ten days ago Mr. Lee, while bathing in the Bless swimming pool, slipped head-first into a shallow part of the pool severely lacerating his head and badly straining himself. He was brought to town and medical assistance summoned, but he failing to recover as readily as it was thought he should he was carried to the hospital for an X-ray examination. We are advised as to what the X-ray disclosed, but Mr. Lee's friends trust he will suffer no permanent injury from the mishap.

Fishing tackle. Holloway Bros.  
Gasoline Irons. Holloway Bros.  
FOR SALE—Two Jersey pigs. Apply at Anvil Herald Office.  
Flour at cost price at Heineke's grocery. 52  
Miss Mollie de Montel is visiting in San Antonio and Bandera this week.  
Mrs. G. W. Davhoff, Miss Bessie Mae Chancey and Miss Linnie Beal are visiting in Bryan this week.  
Mrs. E. W. Lacy returned the first of the week from a visit to San Marcos.

For rich red blood, a tonic for run down people, take Nux-I-Tone. \$1.00, at Windrow's. 52-2t

J. B. Holloway is here from LaGrange visited his children, Mrs. Dr. H. J. Meyer and Messrs. Will and Tom Holloway this week. His grandson, John Henry Meyer, who had been visiting his grandparents at LaGrange came home with him.

Mrs. Howard Laughinghouse was called to Belmont last Saturday on account of the death of her mother. The body was buried at Luling Sunday morning. Mrs. Laughinghouse, who is again at home, has the sympathy of her friends in her bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kimmy and children returned Tuesday from a three weeks' auto trip to points in East Texas, Beaumont, Newton, Silsbee and Birkville being included in their itinerary. Mr. Kimmy says crops are good in that part of the state and that he found so much to eat in the way of fruit, vegetables, etc., that he made himself sick the first day over there; he says also that mosquitos grow as big as chicken hawks and that seed-ticks are as plentiful as gains of sand on the seashore.

Mrs. Ella Woolls received notice yesterday that her son, Newell, had landed safely in France. While it was not definitely known it has been supposed for the past two weeks that the young man was en route over. Newell, in a letter to his mother, apparently written while afloat, says they had a nice trip across and that he had suffered but little from seasickness. He was profuse in his praise of the Red Cross, and says the society rendered them every possible courtesy whenever they encountered them. Selby, the other Woolls boy, is at present stationed on Hudson river, in the state of New York.

Ice Cream Freezers. Holloway Bros.  
Fishing tackle. Holloway Bros.  
Selling out at Cost. E. Heineke, Grocer. 51,1t

Miss Inez Mobly left for her home at Carrizo Springs Wednesday.

Flour at cost price at Heineke's grocery. 52

A marriage license was issued, July 20, to Charlie Griffith and Miss Ora Gossett.

Lord's Supper will be administered at the Lutheran Church here to-morrow, July 28.

WANTED—Music pupils; two lessons weekly—\$4.00 a month. Miss Constance Rodriguez, Richter Hotel Annex. 52

Mrs. J. W. Griffith and children left Wednesday morning for Taylorsville, Illinois, where they will spend a while visiting relatives and friends.

Rev. Gus Muennink, of New Fountain, Rev. A. Beteit and Judge M. Schorobinsky, of Quilhi, were here Saturday evening together with members of every family of their sections to bid good-bye to the boys who joined the army.

Hon. H. P. Hornby of Uvalde, who was here last Saturday in the interest of his candidacy, in discussing the race for state representative, among other things, said: "The office is very important and in my talks I have favored the abolishment of unnecessary offices and commissions; adequate financial aid for our educational institutions, especially so for our rural schools, which I want to see run for the full term; better pay for school teachers; amending our Blue Sky law so as to catch fake advertisers of stock selling schemes; \$5.00 per day for Jurors. I favored this before and introduced a bill and helped get the 50c increase we now have, but \$3.00 per day would be none too much; a tannery at the state penitentiary for the making of leather for the shoes of the 10,000 inmates of the asylums and penitentiaries. The low price of hides and high price of leather would make this a good proposition for the state and help the local hide market; amending our laws so as to secure a better grade of seeds for our farmers; either amending or abolishing the High Way Commission so as to run it on less than it is now costing. It is not necessary to have some 80 men at high prices in this commission. Autos should not be taxed exorbitantly; they are a necessity and time-saver. The counties should also have some say-so about spending the money collected on auto tax. It will also be my policy to let the people of a county know of any law that will effect them locally, and I shall never try to run anything over them but shall always give them plenty of opportunity to find out what is being done or sought to be done. My idea of a representative is to represent the people of his district and to act as their servant. This was my record before and I shall try to live up to it again. I deeply appreciate the many compliments that have been paid me for my former services and trust to merit the same confidence and esteem of the people should I again be chosen to represent them."

### More Registrants Sent In.

Twenty more Medina county young men entrained here Thursday evening for Camp Travis to take up military training. Following are the names of the boys who were called to the colors: J. Frank Schott, Theodore Barth, Wm. F. Ziegenbalz, Tobe B. Roberson, J. D. Shelton, Aug. Boehme, Oscar Koenig, Horace Ham, John Faseler, Arturo Gutierrez, Alex. Bohl, Ariel A. Baby, Edwin R. Wurzbach, Emil C. Bippert, Alfred Saathoff, Thomas Neuman, J. A. Breiten, Albert Schulte, Alfred Nester and Henry J. Boehle. A large number of the relatives and friends of the boys assembled at the depot to see them off.

### Children's Bureau.

There will be a measuring and weighing contest of children up to 16 years of age on behalf of Children Welfare Bureau, at Dr. Meyer's office, Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock, August 1, under the direction of the Mothers' Club. Every mother is cordially invited and urged to request to come and bring her children. The more reports sent in means more credit to Hondo.

This is not a Better Babies Contest but a demand of the U. S. Government, and the co-operation of the mothers is earnestly desired.

CONTRIBUTED.

Flour at cost price at Heineke's grocery. 52

### Mrs. Annie Kie Goza.

Mrs. Annie Kie Goza, a long resident of Texas, died at a local sanitarium yesterday evening. She was a native of Mississippi and had come to San Antonio only a week ago from her home in Hondo, for her health. She is survived by her sister, Mrs. Sallie Redus of Davina, and several other relatives in the state. The funeral will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon from the chapel of Porter Loring, 206 Jefferson street. Rev. J. W. Long of Hondo will officiate and interment will be made in City Cemetery No. 3—San Antonio Express, July 24.

The passing of Mrs. Goza removes one of the pioneer citizens of Medina county. Before the civil war the McLemore family (Mrs. Goza's maiden name being Annie Kie McLemore) established the family homestead on the Hondo, near the railroad bridge. But at that time the Southern Pacific railroad nor the town of Hondo had been dreamed of. This was a wild country when the McLemores settled here, and just how these early settlers protected themselves against the Indians who infested this section in those days we are unable to say. Decedent, so far as we know, made her home here continuously from the time of the first coming of the family to the time of her demise—some three quarters of a century. Some three or four years ago Mrs. Goza disposed of the old family homestead and had since made her home in the town of Hondo.

Only last week the Anvil Herald contained a notice of the transfer of deceased from her home here to a hospital in San Antonio. For the past several years her health had been steadily failing, primarily due to advancing years, and about one month ago the malady that affected her had progressed to such a degree that she was unable to leave her bed. Her relatives were summoned and did what they could to add to her comfort, but after a couple of weeks of nursing concluded to move her to a hospital where the facilities were greater to provide for her comfort, consequently one week to the day prior to her death she was placed in a hospital.

Decedent had been married four times, her first husband being a Mr. Redus. Two sons were born to this union, both of whom preceded their mother to the grave. Following the death of her first husband she was married to Dr. Goza, who also preceded her to the grave. Her last to marriages, owing to incompatibility, were of short duration, divorces resulting in a short time following the marriages.

Mrs. Goza was rather eccentric and preferred to live alone. She was absolutely fearless and for more than twenty years prior to moving to town she had lived practically alone on her farm and ranch, and never was a single time molested, although it was generally known that she at times had quite large sums of money in her possession.

Realizing that the end was approaching Mrs. Goza some three weeks ago is reported to have made her will. She was reputed to be quite wealthy but just who are the beneficiaries only the attorney who drew the instrument and the witnesses have positive knowledge.

One by one the pioneer citizens of Medina county are passing and with their passing valuable history of the early settlement of this section of the state is being forever lost. Decedent had witnessed the transformation of this section from a wilderness into a populous district, and many incidents of the gradual transformation which would prove of absorbing interest to coming generations must have been within the knowledge of the pioneer just passed.

Beside the two sons whom she idolized in life her body was laid to rest in a San Antonio cemetery. To her sorrowing relatives, but few of whom now remain in this county, the Anvil Herald extends condolence in their bereavement.

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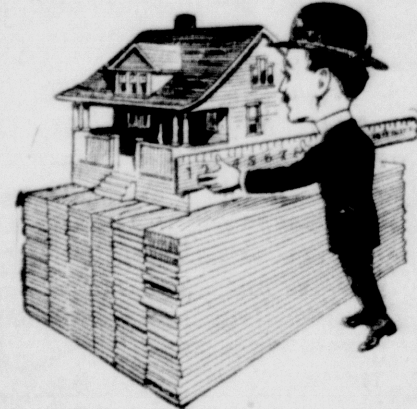
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My brother, Barnitz, will be temporarily in charge.

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### To Our Friends And Patrons

Beginning July 29th, we will make only two deliveries a day, viz: at 10 a. m. and 4 p. m.

Anything ordered or bought after 4 p. m. will be delivered following day.

SCHMITT & STEINHARDT,  
HONDO MERCANTILE CO.,  
C. J. BLESS.

WE BUY—Hens, Pullets, Fryers, Turkeys, Roosters. We are now on the market for all you can bring. Market prices. Phone 200. L. Barrientes. (40

### One Hundred Million Dollars.

\$100,000,000 to lend on Texas farms, by the Federal Land Bank of Houston. Long time—36 years—low interest, 5 1/2 per cent, easy semi annual payments, 1 per cent additional pays principal. The Secretary of the Hondo National Farm Loan Association, H. E. Haass, will tell you all about it. Medina county has loaned over \$200,000 to over fifty farmers. See H. E. Haass, at Courthouse. 51,1t

Fruit Jars. Holloway Bros.

## The 4th OF AUGUST CELEBRATION

will begin on Saturday night..... August 3rd

with a GRAND BALL at the

## Sons of Herman Hall D'HANIS, TEXAS

Music will be furnished by a San Antonio Band. 50cts. admission for ladies as well as gents. Don't forget the date. Come and enjoy yourself.

## NOTICE!

### To Our Patrons and the Public:

Beginning August 1st, auto parts, supplies and repairs will be strictly cash, thereby eliminating unnecessary labor. We wish to conduct business as economically and efficiently as possible at a saving to you.

Thanking you for your past patronage,

## CITIZEN'S MOTOR CAR CO.

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Capital \$50,000.00

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THE INCREASING BUSINESS of this BANK is an indication that the service it renders is satisfactory. If not already a patron, may we not have your account? We give our customers as liberal accommodations as is consistent with sound banking.



## EAT ALL YOU WANT!



No More Gas on the Stomach or Sour Stomach! No More Heavy Feeling After Meals or Constipation!

If you have sour stomach, constipation or gas on the stomach ONE SPOONFUL simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adier-ka, will bring you INSTANT relief.

Adier-ka draws all the old foul matter from the system leaving the bowels and stomach fresh and CLEAN; ready to digest anything. Guards against appendicitis.

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### A Beauty Spot near Hondo.

Drouth, heat and dust marked the month of July as one of the most unpleasant periods of the year. The visiting of friends and relatives and neighbors has nearly stopped on account of the dusty roads. The viewing of a river, of flowing springs or waterholes in the creeks is just now a beautiful sight for the eye. When Hondo people go about three miles in the direction of Tarpley and the north pole they find a small plateau to the right near the road. They pass farms and fields on the way there. While you see pretty cotton, with a good stand, on the west side the field east of the road is almost bare. Both fields are of the same quality of soil, prepared and planted alike and at about the same time. Insects had operated in their chess-board like movements. A high scaffold on the plateau indicates that a deep well has been bored there. A graded street leads up the hill from where you have a fine view over the town and all around the country, especially to the north as far as to the bat cave hill. But right here on the spot is a pretty sight. The wind and sun are playing with the waves of the clear water in two bathing and swimming pools of cement.

The water is pumped by an gasoline engine into the large pools, about 30x 50 feet in size, out of the nearly 1500 feet deep well. The water presses up in the pipe to about 200 feet of the surface and is remarkably cool, clear and of good taste. Two bath houses to the north and west are connected by cement side walks with the pools. Each of the houses contains 9 rooms. This is a new institution and in operation the second summer now. The walls of the pools have been scraped off, freed from all moss and tarred lately and refilled this week. A beautiful hidden spot indeed. Here and there in the wide circle around a whirl wind takes immense masses of dust up in the air and the distant heights look like they were under a veil of fog.

The waste water out of the pools has another purpose, it is used by the owner and manager, Mr. C. J. Bless, for irrigating his crops below the hill. By simple ditches and furrows the water can be led to the different patches of which the cabbage had been the prettiest, although it proves to be a failure this year. The plants were set out too late and earlier plants had been killed by frost. Onions, tomatoes, and pepper plants furnish returns for the care taken by the owner who only uses his spare time out here. Feed stuff crops are doing fine. So the waters of the deep well not only give a necessary comfort to our people in the swimming pool but enable them to enjoy the pure air and the green spots of the irrigated field not far from our town. And when children bear in mind that cement pools are of hard material and will not dive so that their heads strike against the walls there will be no danger at all for children who use the swimming pool.

### A Farewell Surprise Party.

Wednesday night, July 24th, a farewell surprise party was given at the home of Mrs. Joe Breiten in honor of Joe A. Breiten, who had to leave for training camp Thursday.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Breiten and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wernette and family, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Weber and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gus. Mann and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Mann and family, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mann and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mussman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Mussman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Karm and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moebius, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Moebius, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wendland, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Poe and baby, Mrs. Albert Bihartz, Mrs. Joe Breiten; Misses Carrie, Alice and Goldie Bihartz, Josie Karm, Lizette Boehle, Bertha and Mary Breiten, Rose, Lilly, Katie, Lorine and Fern Mann, Annie and Kittie Dabbs, Josie and Newella Weber, Josie, Emily and Etta Mussman, Fannie Wernette; Messrs. Louis Bury, Tom and Albert Watson, Joe and Armin Breiten, Gus and Ferdinand Rihn, Lee, Clarence, Leonard and Freddie Wernette, Ervin, Fritz and Alvin Hartung, Geo. Karm, Curt Scharf, Aaron and Ralph Bihartz, Roy Breiten, Elmer Fohn and John Dabbs.

At 1 o'clock supper was served which every one did ample justice to. About 2:30 o'clock all departed for their homes, wishing Mr. Joe Breiten good luck in the future.

### ONE OF THE CROWD.

### Annual Dinner and Bazaar.

The annual dinner and bazaar for the benefit of Holy Cross Church at D'Hanis will take place on Aug. 4th and 5th. Dinner and supper will be served on both days for the nominal sum of 35 cents. There will be a kitchen utensils booth and also a fancy work booth. Nothing is being left undone to make the celebration a success, and those who have been here on these days in former years know that a treat is in store for them. Everybody invited at D'Hanis, August 4th and 5th.

Whenever your windmill or gasoline engine needs repairing call on Edwin F. Bendele for quick service. 14-tf

### HELP THE KIDNEYS.

Hondo Readers Are Learning The Way.

It's the little kidney ills—The lame, weak or aching back—The unnoticed urinary disorders—That may lead to dropsy and Bright's disease.

When the kidney's are weak, Help them with Doan's Kidney Pills, A Remedy especially for weak kidneys.

Doan's have been used in kidney troubles for 50 years.

Endorsed by 50,000 people—endorsed at home.

Proof of merit, in a Hondo citizen's statement.

E. M. James, retired farmer, says, I had an attack of kidney trouble and the passages of the kidney secretions were far too frequent so that I was compelled to get up several times at night. I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Windrow's Drug Store and they gave me prompt relief. Two more boxes entirely removed the trouble and I have had no kidney trouble since."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. James had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

### Quihi Notes.

July 25, 1918.

O. A. Grell and family made a pleasure trip to Hondo Thursday.

John G. Bohlen, H. J. Boehle and J. R. Brucks made a business trip to Hondo Friday.

Chas. Oefinger and family passed over our streets one day last week.

Mr. John Balzen and son, Alvin, of Sturm Hill, Mrs. E. A. Balzen, Miss Bertha Boehle and Ernest Boehle, of here attended the Sunday School Picnic at Wiemer's Grove Thursday afternoon.

H. H. Saathoff made a business trip to Hondo Friday.

Miss Lizette Boehle of Hondo spent Sunday here with homefolks.

Emil Boehle made a business trip to Hondo Saturday.

A. G. Brucks and L. A. Saathoff passed by here Saturday with some horses and mules en route to Hondo.

George Karm and sister, Miss Josie, of Hondo, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Boehle and family.

Walter Brucks and Ernest Boehle made a trip to Hondo Saturday, they returned with a load of groceries.

Henry Schuchie shipped two carloads of cattle to San Antonio Monday.

Pvt. Andrew Oefinger of Austin visited homefolks in Sturm Hill Saturday and Sunday. He also attended the dance here Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nietenhoefer and daughter, Alice, of Vandenburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Boehle and family.

B. H. Brucks and Henry Decker also shipped a carload of cattle to San Antonio Monday.

Math. Rath of Hondo, Johnnie Breiten, Albert Reitzer and John Hauser of here are up on a fishing trip to Medina Lake this week.

Ben Balzen and A. G. Brucks made a business trip to San Antonio Tuesday.

H. J. Loesberg is down at Noonan bailing feed stuff.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rohlf from the mountains spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Simon Rohlf.

Mrs. John Saathoff and children of San Antonio spent Saturday and Sunday here with relatives.

H. J. Boehle sold a fine horse to Henry Bohlen Saturday.

The dance at the Quihi Gun Club Hall was well attended.

### TWIN SISTERS.

OLD FALSE TEETH WANTED DON'T MATTER IF BROKEN. We pay up to 15 dollars per set. Also cash for Old Gold, Silver and broken Jewelry. Check sent by return mail. Goods held ten days for sender's approval of our offer. Mazer's Tooth Specialty, Dept. A, 2007 S. 5th St., Philadelphia, 47,8 Pa.

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We are aware of the fact that ninety per cent of the buying public go to the store where they at least believe they can get the most and best goods for their money.

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We guarantee that the man who undersells us will never get rich off the sales he makes.

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If you are in the market for automobile tires that will give you the best service and perfect satisfaction, I have the kind that will suit you. Chas. R. Gaines.

Fruit Jars. Holloway Bros.

Reap Hooks. Holloway Bros.

Screen Wire. Holloway Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Jungman visited in Devine Saturday.

Mitchell and Peter Schutler wagons at Eugen Huesser's. Prices right. 49

Geo. Christilles was here from Lacoate Tuesday.

Selling out at Cost. E. Heineke, Grocer. 51,1t

For fancy fresh fruits and green vegetables, go to Barrientes or phone 200. L. Barrientes & Son.

Machine hemstitching and picading. 10c per yard. Mrs. H. B. Houston, Uvalde, Texas. 38-6m

County Clerk and Mrs. S. A. Jungman were the guests of relatives and friends in Castroville last Sunday.

Dr. W. C. Cain and Mimke Muenink visited in San Antonio and Sutherland Springs this week.

Send the Anvil Herald to your relatives and friends elsewhere. It will be a news letter to them.

The Olson Economy Truck Unit and a Ford Chassis makes a 1-ton Truck. For particulars write or phone Citizens Motor Car Co. 49

Always a fresh supply of Goodyear Tires, accessories and Columbia Batteries in stock. Quality first, price last. Citizens Motor Car Co.

FOR SALE or RENT—my five room house with two lots in Fly addition. Will rent for \$10.00 a month. Apply to A. J. Schroeder. 51,4pd

Wm. J. Nester, Aug. Richter and Edgar Haass motored to Uvalde, Eagle Pass, Del Rio and Brackettville this week.

FOR SALE—At a sacrifice, store and stock of goods. Reason for selling, owner is working for his Uncle Sam. For price write W. F. Sparks, Dimerio, Texas. 52-6t

When you have BACKACHE the liver or kidneys are sure to be out of gear. Try SANOL, it does wonders for the liver, kidneys and bladder. A trial will convince you. Get it at the drug store.

H. E. Haass, Attorney at Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Co.

Mrs. D. W. Short and daughter, Miss Emma, who had been in San Antonio for the past couple of weeks where Miss Emma underwent an operation for appendicitis, returned home this week, the young lady now rapidly regaining her normal health.

### Program Junior League.

August 4, 3 p. m.

Leader, Lucile Newton. Bible reading, 1 Peter 3, 10-11. Song, "Throw Out the Life Line." Responsive Reading, 1 Psalm. Lord's Prayer. Talk by Leader. "Song, "I must Tell Jesus". Exercise by members of the League. Bible drill. Song, "Scatter Sunshine". Benediction. Please bring your Bibles to the League.

### Notice, Stockholders of Hondo State Bank.

A meeting of the stockholders of this bank, for the purpose of electing officers and directors, and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it, will be held at its banking house on August 6th, 1918, at 2:30 p. m.

H. F. KING, Cashier.

### Notice.

Beginning August 1st, we beg to inform our customers that we will conduct our business strictly on a cash basis. Please do not ask for credit. KILHORN & RENKEN.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 20c.



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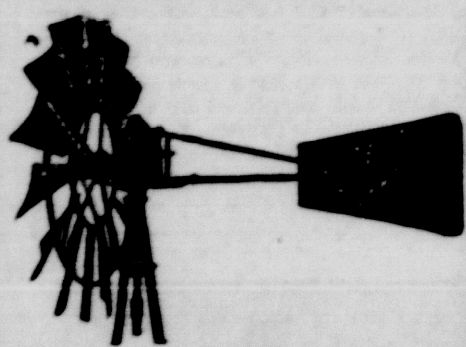
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### Taking of Testimony in Criminal Cases.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 2. To amend Section 10, Article 1, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for certain rights of accused persons in criminal prosecutions, and the manner in which the case may be prosecuted, and providing for the procuring of the testimony of the witnesses for both defense and prosecution.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Section (10) of Article (1) of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended that the same will read and hereafter be as follows:

SEC. (10). In all criminal prosecutions the accused shall have a speedy public trial by an impartial jury. He shall have the right to demand the nature and cause of the accusation against him, and to have a copy thereof. He shall not be compelled to give evidence against himself and shall have the right of being heard by himself or counsel, or both, shall be confronted by the witnesses against him and shall have compulsory process for obtaining witnesses in his favor, except that when the witness resides out of the State and the offense charged is a violation of any of the anti-trust laws of this State, the defendant and the State shall have the right to produce and have the evidence admitted by deposition, under such rules and laws as the Legislature may hereafter provide; and no person shall be held to answer for a criminal offense, unless on an indictment of a grand jury, except in cases in which the punishment is by fine or imprisonment, otherwise than in the penitentiary, in cases of impeachment and in cases arising in the army or navy, or in the militia, when in actual service in time of war or public danger.

SEC. 2. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of this State at the next general election for State and county officers.

SEC. 3. The qualified electors for members of the Legislature shall vote upon said amendment at the said general election and at which election all persons favoring said amendment shall have written or printed on the ballot the following: "For amendment to Section 10, Article 1 of the Constitution, providing for prosecution of criminal cases by information, or indictment, and taking of testimony of witnesses by deposition, under certain circumstances," and those opposed to such amendment shall have written or printed on the ballot as follows: "Against the amendment to Section 10, Article 1 of the Constitution."

SEC. 4. The sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds of the State Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expense of publishing, proclamation, and election.

(Note.—H. J. R. No. 2 passed the House of Representatives by a two-thirds vote, yeas 123, nays 4; and passed the Senate with amendments, by a two-thirds vote, yeas 21, nays 4; and the House concurred in Senate amendments by a two-thirds vote, yeas 123, nays 0.)

Approved March 10, 1917.

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### Special Tax

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 27. Proposing an amendment to Art. 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas by changing Sec. 3, providing for a thirty-five cent tax levy for the maintenance of the public schools of Texas, and providing free text books in public schools of the State of Texas, and making an appropriation therefor.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Section 3, Article 7, of the Constitution, be so changed as to read as follows: (creating a new section 3):

SEC. 3. One-fourth of the revenue derived from the State occupation taxes and a poll tax of one (\$1.00) dollar on every male inhabitant of this State, between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years, shall be set apart annually for the benefit of the public free schools; and, in addition thereto, there shall be levied and collected an annual ad valorem State tax of such an amount not to exceed thirty-five cents on the one hundred (\$100) dollar valuation, as, with the available school fund arising from all other sources, will be sufficient to maintain and support the public schools of this State for a period of not less than six months in each year, and it shall be the duty of the State Board of Education to set aside a sufficient amount out of the said tax to provide free text books for the use of children attending the public free schools of this state; provided, however, that should the limit of taxation herein named be insufficient, the deficit may be met by appropriation from the general funds of the State, and the Legislature may also provide for the formation of school districts by general or special law without the local notice required in other cases of special legislation; and all such school districts, whether created by general or special law, may embrace parts of two or more counties. And the Legislature shall be authorized to pass laws for the assessment and collection of taxes in all said districts, and for the management and control of the public school or schools of such district, whether such districts are composed of territory wholly within a county or in parts of two or more counties. And the Legislature may authorize an additional ad valorem tax to be levied and collected within all school districts heretofore formed or hereafter formed, for the further maintenance of public free schools, and the erection and equipment of school buildings therein; provided, that a majority of the qualified property tax-paying voters of the district, voting at an election to be held for that purpose, shall vote such tax, not to exceed in any one year fifty cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such district, but the limitation upon the amount of school district tax herein authorized shall not apply to incorporated cities or towns constituting separate and independent school districts.

SEC. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1918, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words "For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing for the levy of a special school tax for the maintenance of the public schools of the State and to provide free text books in the public schools of the State of Texas", and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing for the levy of a special school tax for the maintenance of the public schools of the state, and to provide free text books in the public schools of the State of Texas."

SEC. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

SEC. 4. That the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

(Note.—H. J. R. No. 27 passed the House of Representatives by a two-thirds vote, yeas 108, nays 22; and passed the Senate by a two-thirds vote, yeas 23, nays 4.)

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# Our Castroville Page

## Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, JULY 25, 1918

ED. HUEHNER, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

Messrs. O. H. Miller and Chas. Filleman of Hondo were Castroville visitors the fore part of the week.

The dance given at Wernette's Opera House Sunday night for the benefit of the Red Cross was largely attended and very much enjoyed. The best of order prevailed.

Messrs. Ed. J. Keller and August Schott of Devine spent Sunday with their best friends in our midst.

Mr. Henry Steinle left early Monday morning for Jourdan on business bound.

Mr. Rohl Balzen of Knippa was a Castroville visitor Monday.

About twenty-five or thirty U. S. trucks passed through town Monday evening, en route west.

Mrs. Theresa Bendele of Hondo is here spending the week with Grandma Biry.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Rihn and Misses Florence Biediger, Freda Boehme and several others were here for the dance Sunday night.

D'Hanis was well represented at the Red Cross dance—too many to mention all by name.

Joe Fohn and daughter, Miss Marjorie, and son, Master Leonard, were here from San Antonio.

F. Kilhorn and family of Hondo spent the week here.

George Euter and Henry Gerloff of Camp Travis spent Sunday here.

Bernard FitzSimon left Monday for Houston where he was called.

Miss Corinne Ney of Hondo and Miss Clara Zinsmeyer of D'Hanis spent Sunday here.

Oscar Miller and Elmer Rothe and Chas. Schuehle of Hondo were here for the dance Sunday night.

Miss Alma Wurzbach of Rio Medina was shopping here Saturday.

Mrs. John Stricker and daughter, Miss Stella, Master Johnnie Stricker and Rudolph Maurer of San Antonio were out for the dance Sunday night.

Mrs. Mockenfuss and daughter, Miss Hazel, of San Antonio, attended the dance here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mangold and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mechler of Lacoste were here Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mangold, Miss Clara Wurzbach, Gabe and Clarence Haby were here from Cliff for the dance.

Mr. Raymon Schuchart and sister, Miss Gladys, were here from Cliff for the dance Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Zuberbueler of Dunlay are entertaining a daughter at their home in Dunlay.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Haby and Adolph Haby, Jr., were here from Dunlay Sunday evening.

Miss Julia Winkler of Cliff was here Sunday.

Arthur Koch and Miss Gertrude Rihn visited in Hondo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gerstorf of San Antonio were here Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Schorp and two sons and daughter, Miss Ida, of Pearisburg, were the guests of relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Muennink and Miss Nora Tondre of Hondo were guests of Mrs. Emil Tondre Sunday.

Mrs. Ed. de Montel and daughters, Mrs. J. Arthur Williamson, and Miss Evelyn de Montel, Mrs. Fletcher Davis and children, Misses Ruth Rothe, Octavia Davis, Grace Armstrong, Miss Lucile de Montel, of Hondo, Mrs. C. B. Walters, Misses Lorine and Pauline de Montel, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schreier, of San Antonio, Messrs. Jack Devins and E. H. Jenks, of 145th Entertainers Squadron of Kelly Field, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer Sunday, also for the Red Cross dance at night.

Mrs. Joe Keller and daughter, Miss Della, visited relatives in San Antonio this week.

Master Marion Davis of Hondo is visiting relatives here this week.

Otto Wurzbach was here Sunday from Cliff.

Misses Elizabeth and Pauline Biediger and John Biediger were here from Lacoste Sunday.

Misses Florentina Keller, Alice Droitscourt and Lucile Kuntz were here Sunday from Lacoste.

### Field Agent Davis visits Yoakum.

Fletcher Davis, Field Agent of the State Department of Agriculture and publisher of the Anvil Herald at Hondo, was a visitor in Yoakum yesterday afternoon. Mr. Davis is visiting points along the S. A. & A. P. Ry., studying farm and crop conditions and urging farmers to produce fall feed crops wherever idle lands are available and moisture conditions will permit. He says crops for the most part along the Sap from here to Giddings and along the H. & T. C. from there to Austin are fair, but Texas as a whole has not produced enough corn and forage this season to supply itself for another year. It is, therefore, the opinion of our State Department of Agriculture and Commissioner Fred W. Davis, concurred in by the State Council of Defense and Governor Hobby, that no farmer in Texas should permit any "slack acres" on his farm if moisture conditions will permit the growing of any of the grain sorghums, pink or Tepary beans, peanuts or sweet and Irish potatoes as fall crops.

Mr. Davis' specialty in his work for the Department is Rural Organization. "Our nation is now contending with the most thoroughly and effectively organized nation on the globe," remarked Mr. Davis in an interview with The Times reporter. "The success of our Liberty Loan campaigns, Red Cross drives, etc.," he added, "were due to organization, and since so much depends upon the American farm in this conflict, we should make success doubly sure by meeting German efficiency with organized efficiency on the American farm."

Before completing his present itinerary Mr. Davis will attend the meeting of the Southwest Texas District Farmers Union at Yorktown, July 23rd and 24th.—Yoakum Times, July 21st.

### Cause of Despondency.

Despondency is often caused by indigestion and constipation, and quickly disappears when Chamberlain's Tablets are taken. These tablets strengthen the digestion and move the bowels.

### Found Old Friend in Army.

A horse buyer visited a farmer, living near Worthing, last spring, and purchased from him a kicking mule, which was regarded as useless for farm work, relates the St. Paul Pioneer-Press. Shortly afterward the farmer's son endeavored to enlist in the National Guard, but could not pass the examination. However, he was accepted as a member of a supply company, and now he is driving teams for the government. He recently was sent with his company to North Carolina and was given a new mule team to drive. His surprise can be imagined when he discovered that one of the mules was the identical kicking mule which his father sold last spring and which had found its way into the service of the government.

SAMPLE BALLOT... Cannot be used for voting purposes

## Official Democratic Primary Ballot of Medina County, July 27, 1918

I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary.

For United States Senator:  
MORRIS SHEPPARD  
of Bowie county

For Governor:  
W. P. HOBBY  
of Jefferson county  
JAMES E. FERGUSON  
of Bell county

For Lieutenant Governor:  
JOHN M. HENDERSON  
of Morris county  
JOHN R. MOORE  
of Anderson county  
S. B. COWELL  
of Grayson county  
L. H. BAILEY  
of Harris county  
T. W. DAVIDSON  
of Harrison county  
W. A. JOHNSON  
of Hall county

For Chief Justice of Supreme Court:  
NELSON PHILLIPS  
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For Associate Justice of Supreme Court:  
J. D. HARVEY  
of Harris county  
THOMAS B. GREENWOOD  
of Anderson county

For Associate Justice Court of Criminal Appeals:  
R. H. WARD  
of Bexar county  
O. S. LATTIMORE  
of Tarrant county  
WILLIAM PIERSON  
of Hunt county  
C. A. PIPPEN  
of Dallas county

For State Treasurer:  
JOHN W. BAKER  
of Crosby county  
J. M. EDWARDS  
of Runtels county

For Attorney General:  
C. M. CURETON  
of Bosque county  
JOHN W. WOODS  
of Taylor county  
MARSHAL SPOONTS  
of Tarrant county

For Railroad Commissioner:  
JOHN L. ANDREWS  
of Dallas county  
CLARENCE E. GILMORE  
of Van Zandt county  
C. H. HURDLESTON  
of Tarrant county

For Comptroller of Public Accounts:  
C. C. MAYFIELD  
of Erath county  
SAM H. GOODLETT  
of Travis county  
H. B. TERRELL  
of McLennan county

For Commissioner of General Land Office:  
J. T. ROBISON  
of Morris county

For Commissioner of Agriculture:  
H. A. HALBERT  
of Coleman county  
FRED W. DAVIS  
of Cooke county

For Superintendent of Public Instruction:  
BRANDON TRUSSELL  
of Wise county  
ANNIE WEBB BLANTON  
of Denton county  
W. F. DOUGHTY  
of Falls county

Prof. and Mrs. J. P. Dewald and two daughters passed Devine Monday enroute to Yancey where they will teach next term. Mr. Dewald as superintendent.—Devine News.

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For County Clerk:  
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For Sheriff:  
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Miss Emma Buss, who had been visiting her brother, C. E. Buss of Devine, went to San Antonio Tuesday.—Devine News.

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Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardui For Her Recovery.

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Ferdinand Kilhorn and family of Hondo were visiting Henry Mangold and family Tuesday.—LaCoste Ledger.

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Your kidneys are the filter of your body. If they become inactive to eliminate the waste matter, it is apt to throw the whole mechanism of the body out of order, thus poisons can accumulate in the blood and be as deadly as snake venom. Besides causing the minor ailments of rheumatism, sciatica, lumbago, backache, neglect of the kidneys develop into more serious diseases such as diabetes or stone in the bladder. Rid the body of toxic poisons the bladder and kidneys and the twinges of rheumatism will disappear and you win the battle of life.

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SEASVILLE, TEXAS.—"I wish to those who may have rheumatism I am 45 years old and have been in the most of my life. In the winter of 1910, I was afflicted with a very bad weather, which was a very severe attack, in fact so bad that I could not ride horse and I was compelled to abandon my duties for awhile. I then began to take Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets. I began taking about 10 months ago and am now cured. I wish to say in conclusion that I cannot be loud enough in my praise of Dr. Pierce's Anuric.—J. J. ALL



## SEED CORN SELECTION.

By FLETCHER DAVIS,  
Field Agent State Dept. of Agriculture.

If the scarcity and high price of all manner of farm seeds this past spring, and the consequent difficulty of supplying oneself with sufficient seeds of the desired variety and quality, has taught us the importance of home production of seeds, the experience, annoying and expensive as it has been, is not without its salutary and compensatory lesson.

It is accepted by all students of biology, so far as the writer is informed, and it is borne out by the experience and observation of practical farmers everywhere, that the seeds of most if not all of our farm crops must be acclimated to any given section before they will produce the best results.

This is certainly true of animal life, and when we consider the more intimate relation of plant life with the soil and the greater dependence of plants upon favorable climatic and weather conditions, it is reasonable and logical that the same rule should apply with equal if not greater force to the latter.

Accepting this theory, then, as an established scientific fact, it follows that the best place for the farmer to secure his field seeds is in his own field and the best way to secure them is by producing and selecting them himself.

Therefore, the securing of the very best of seeds would call for the seed plot, for each crop produced on the farm, where the process of cross-fertilization might be studied and the system of selection and elimination might be carried to the limits of discernment and discrimination.

But as this calls for an intimate knowledge of the principles of plant growth and reproduction, together with observant and discriminating powers of mind and a painstaking attention to detail quite beyond the possibility of the busy American farmer, with all the multitudinous affairs of his active life calling for his attention, to bestow upon the task, it must be dismissed from any scheme of general farming as impracticable.

The science and art of plant breeding when combined with practical business judgment is opening up a field that is at once fascinating and profitable to the man of that happy bent or trend of mind.

It is fascinating to the man of science because it opens a field for study, for experimentation and for observation as varied as plant life itself.

It offers an inviting field to the business man; because, with the natural trend of the times to specialization and the keen competition for the markets, the successful productions of his scientific endeavors will always command a high price from those busy farmers who are seeking the best in quality and variety.

It has already attracted a great many men of unusual ability and is attracting more every day.

But we haven't enough of scientific seed-breeders and producers in our country.

So long as each farm can not produce its own seeds—and seeds of the best quality—there should, at least, be a seed producer in every locality where the soil and climatic conditions are the same.

Therein lies an opportunity for the organized farmers of any community to co-operate in one of the most profitable enterprises they can undertake. Let them select from among their number the man who is most successful in growing some specific crop and contract with him to purchase from him at a stipulated, remunerative price seeds of standard quality for planting their crops, it being understood that he is to do for them what they haven't time to do for themselves—maintain the purity and improve the quality of that particular variety by careful scientific plant growing and seed selection.

But this is a desideratum that can not be achieved save through better organization and a better spirit of cooperation than now prevails among the farmers as a class.

Thus the farmer is left at this time mainly dependent upon his own resources and his own efforts in the matter.

And so, with the lessons of the past spring fresh in mind, not to mention the humiliating experience of having had seeds of good varieties and excellent quality "run out" on our hands, the farmer with good varieties growing in his fields now will bestir himself with thoughts and plans for securing and preserving the best of his products for seed to the end that he may be supplied for another season or more.

The time for selecting seed corn is now.

There are three things in the selection of seed corn that calls for immediate attention.

Those are healthfulness, purity and fitness to type.

While corn smut is not transmitted to the growing crop "in" the seed, as are the smuts of some other grains, no man wants to select his seed corn from a smut-infested field.

The possibility of contaminating your seed field with smut spores adhering

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to or "on" the seeds should be sufficient to warn anyone to exercise reasonable precaution.

Some go to the extent of subjecting seed corn to the usual smut-prevention treatment before planting, and while this is not to be disapproved entirely, it is more to be desired that the fields where seed corn is to be grown be rid of smut infection entirely and the seeds not be allowed to come in contact with the smut spores at all.

This can be done by beginning in time and going often enough through the field and cutting out all of the smut balls—before they have matured, burst and scattered their spores to the winds—and collecting them at some convenient place and burning them, so as to prevent any possibility of any further infestation from them.

Any other appearance of diseased conditions that may be observed can at the same time be subjected to the pruning and burning process.

So can the healthfulness of the corn be maintained—so shall the progeny receive no disease-heritage from the progenitors.

At the same time, in order to preserve the purity and strength of the variety, every barren stalk, every stalk of doubtful variety, every defective stalk and every stalk that deviates too far from the type should be destroyed or detasseled before the tassel has bloomed and spread its pollen where it will fructify the ears of those stalks that are to be retained for seed production.

In this way will the tendency to weakness and the consequent "running out" of the variety be eliminated and its purity and strength be preserved in the succeeding strain.

And, lastly, selection for true type calls for discriminating judgment and skill in choice to the utmost of development of these faculties of mind eye and hand in the seed grower.

The type selected will, of course, depend upon the variety and the characteristics being sought.

As a general proposition, field selection of seed corn calls for uniformity first of all, for without uniformity there can be no true type.

A stocky stalk, not too tall, with wide, vigorous blades, is the most desirable type of stalk for general farm planting in Texas.

The ears should be of uniform size, should grow from the stalk at a convenient and uniform distance from the ground and should be well covered with a thick husk.

Where weevils and other injurious insects are so destructive of the grain, as they are in this country, a husk that comes well down over the point of the ear, completely covering the grain, is a feature to be desired and observed in selection in the field.

Ears that tip towards the ground so as to shed the rain are also to be desired.

Other features will appeal to the discriminating eye of the corn breeder but these characteristics, if regarded by the farmer, are sufficient to greatly improve the type of corn he is now growing and will assure him a supply of seed corn of the right kind if he will begin now on the task of selecting it.

Stalks selected for seed in this way should be marked and watched so that the process of elimination may be continued through the growing season.

After the crop matures the process of elimination is transferred from the stalk to the ears, but that is another story meet for another time than this.

"The survival of the fittest" and "like begets like" are fundamental principles of life and the improvement of field seeds is an artificial method of eliminating the weak and defective and propagating only the strong and vigorous—those individuals and classes or varieties with the prepotency to transmit characteristics of the progenitors to the progeny.

Begin now, out in your own field, to select your seed corn for next year and the next, and, with discrimination and judgment and in conformity to nature's laws, select that and that only which is best.—The Southwest Farmer and Investor.

NOTE—The foregoing article was prepared for the June issue of the Southwest Farmer and Investor, but was not published until July. It is, therefore, too late to be of much service this season. Farmers of Texas, who have corn that has survived the drouth and matured sound healthy grain, should preserve it, not only to insure themselves and their less fortunate neighbors a supply of seed corn but because of the drouth resistant nature that has been bred in it.

F. D.

## ENGLISH WOMAN HAD SUFFERED 40 YEARS.

Tried every Kind of Treatment Here and Abroad But Got No Relief Until She Took Tanlac.

"Tanlac has really worked wonders in my case," said Mrs. Mary Higgins, 519 North Ochoa street, El Paso, Texas, recently. Mrs. Higgins is a native of England and was visiting in Aberystwyth City, South Wales, when war between England and Germany was declared, and has many relatives and friends on the battle front.

"For almost forty years," continued Mrs. Higgins, "I have suffered with indigestion and dyspepsia and during the past three years, especially, I have tried everything imaginable with no results until I got Tanlac. I was advised to have an operation, which I did, for what was said to be gall stones but I continued to suffer. My stomach would cramp and bloat something awful after eating and even liquid diet did me the same way. My suffering was awful and I got so I was actually afraid to eat anything. A few years ago my nerves seemed to give way and I have been unable to get sufficient sleep and rest."

"While in Europe on a visit I tried many English remedies but neither the medicine or the trip helped me. I was induced to try Tanlac and now after taking four bottles I can truthfully say I feel better than I have in at least thirty years. My sleep is sound and restful and, oh, it is such a relief to be able to eat what I want without suffering those terrible pains afterwards. I feel very grateful and am only too glad to tell others about the medicine that has done so much for me."

Tanlac is sold in Hondo by W. H. Windrow, in Devine by Lion Drug Store, in D'Hanis by Louis Carle, in LaCoste by Dickey Drug Co., and in Dunlay by Louis A. Haby.

## SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE. THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MEDINA.

By virtue of a certain Execution and Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of 73rd Judicial District of Bexar County, on the 24th day of May 1918, by the Clerk of said Court, against John B. Secrest for the sum of One Hundred and Fifty-seven and 25/100 (\$157.25) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. B-16270, in said Court, styled The Medina Town-site Company, versus John B. Secrest, and placed in my hands for service, I, J. F. Bader, as Sheriff of Medina County, Texas, did, on the 8th day of July, 1918, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Medina County, described as follows, to-wit:

In the State of Texas, County of Medina and town of Natalia, known as Lot No. 8, in Block No. 51, as shown on a plat and subdivision of parts of Original Surveys No. 35, John Hardin; No. 509, J. Varenne; No. 27, M. W. Dikes; No. 634, G. M. Crawford; and 61-2, Wm. Crawford; said plat and subdivision being known as "Natalia", and duly recorded in the Deed Records of Medina County, Texas, in Vol. A-48, pages 2 and 3, and levied upon as the property of said John B. Secrest. And on Tuesday, the 6th day of August 1918, at the Court House door of Medina County, in the town of Hondo, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I will sell said property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said John B. Secrest by virtue of said levy and said Execution and Order of Sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Hondo Anvil Herald, a newspaper published in Medina County.

Witness my hand, this 8th day of July, 1918.

J. F. BADER,  
Sheriff Medina County, Texas.

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## Medina County Limit Club.

It is not only a great honor but it is the solemn duty of every loyal American citizen who is financially able to so, to join this club. Let your name appear next week:

Julius Steinhardt,  
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Joe Decker,  
D. W. Short,  
C. J. Bless,  
George Muennink,  
Mrs. F. S. Cockrell,  
Jake Reilly,  
M. J. Butts,  
Mrs. Emma Rothe,  
C. W. Gilliam,  
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District office.....\$10.00  
County office.....5.00  
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**For State Senator**  
We are authorized to announce  
HON. R. M. DUDLEY  
of El Paso as a candidate for State Senator from the 25th Senatorial District of Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

We are authorized to announce  
HON. M. M. McFARLAND  
of El Paso as a candidate for State Senator from the 25th Senatorial District of Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

**For District Clerk.**  
Thanking the voters of Medina County for their kind support in the past years, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Clerk of the District Court, at the general election next November.  
AUGUST KEMPF.

**For County Superintendent.**  
I am a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of Public Instruction of Medina County at the November election.  
I have taught twelve years in Medina County. Your support solicited.  
A. W. MYRES.

Thanking the voters of Medina County for the confidence placed in me in the past, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Superintendent of Public Instruction of Medina County, Texas, subject to the Democratic Primary Election of July 27, 1918.  
W. N. SAATHOFF.

**For County Attorney.**  
We are authorized to announce  
HON. G. C. MORRIS  
as a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Medina County, Texas, subject to the general election in November.

**For County Treasurer.**  
Thanking the voters for past favors and again soliciting your votes and support, I hereby announce for re-election to the office of County Treasurer of Medina County, subject to the Democratic Primary Election to be held July 27, 1918.  
JACK J. DROITCOURT.

Thanking all my friends who supported me in the 1914 election, and responding to the wishes of my friends I now again announce as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Medina County at the Democratic Primary Election to be held July 27, 1918, and will appreciate the vote, support and influence of the voters of Medina County.  
Respectfully,  
EMIL BRITTSCH.

We are authorized to announce  
JOHN W. HOWARD  
as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Medina County, subject to the Democratic Primaries, July 27, 1918. Your support and influence will be appreciated.

**For Tax Assessor.**  
Thanking the voters of Medina County for the confidence reposed in me in the past, I hereby announce myself for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor of Medina County Texas, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 27, 1918.  
LOU E. HEATH.

**For Tax Collector.**  
Thanking you for the generous support heretofore extended me, and again soliciting your kind consideration, I announce myself as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Medina County at the approaching November election.  
Very respectfully,  
JOE NEY.

We are authorized to announce  
O. H. MILLER  
as a candidate for election to the office of Tax Collector of Medina County, at the November election.

**For Sheriff.**  
We are authorized to announce  
J. W. CRUTCHFIELD  
as a candidate for Sheriff of Medina county, subject to the action of the voters at the July Primaries.

We are authorized to announce  
J. F. BADER  
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Medina County, at the general election in November.

**For County Judge.**  
In publishing this, my announcement, as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Medina Co. at the coming Democratic Primary Election, July 27, 1918, I wish to thank the citizenship of this county for their highly appreciated friendship and support during the past, with the assurance that if re-elected I will continue to fill said office to the very best of my ability. Respectfully,  
R. J. NOONAN.

**For County Clerk.**  
We are authorized to announce  
S. A. JUNGMAN  
as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Clerk of Medina County, subject to the action of the voters at the Democratic Primaries, July 27, 1918.

**For Justice of the Peace.**  
We are authorized to announce  
A. M. LAMM  
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

**For Public Weigher.**  
We are authorized to announce  
A. A. BADER  
as a candidate for election to the office of Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

**For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.**  
To the voters of Commissioner's Precinct No. 1 of Medina County:  
Thanking you for past favors, and again soliciting your votes and support, I hereby announce myself for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, of Medina Co., subject to November election. Respectfully,  
B. H. BRUCKS.

We are authorized to announce  
H. F. BUSS  
as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the general election in November.

**For Commissioner Precinct No. 3**  
In again announcing myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, I wish to thank the citizenship of this precinct for their highly appreciated friendship and support in the past, with the assurance that if re-elected I will continue to fill the office to the best of my ability.  
Respectfully,  
J. B. NEY.

**For Constable Precinct No. 1**  
We are authorized to announce  
HENRY MOORE  
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Constable of Precinct No. 1, Medina county, at the approaching November election.

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Just try one 50-cent bottle of LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN. A Liquid Digestive Laxative pleasant to take. Made and recommended to the public by Paris Medicine Co., manufacturers of Laxative Bromo Quinine and Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic.

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Fresh beef for domestic markets goes from stockyards to retail stores within a period of about two weeks. Although chilled, this meat is not frozen; hence it cannot be stored for a rise in price.

A steer is dressed usually within twenty-four hours after purchase by the packer. The beef is held in a cooler at the packing house, at a temperature a little above freezing, for about three days.

It is then loaded into a refrigerator car where a similar temperature is maintained, and is in transit to market on an average of about six days.

Upon arrival at the branch distributing house, it is unloaded into a "cooler", and placed on sale.

Swift & Company requires all beef to be sold during the week of arrival, and the average of sales is within five days.

Any delay along the above journey means deterioration in the meat and loss to the packer.

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## What Are You Doing?

If a list were made of all those in Europe who have been killed on the field of battle, and another of those who have died of starvation since the war began, the latter list would be the longer, according to figures made public by the Federal Food Administration for Texas.

The total number of deaths in action up to the first of the present year, is approximately 4,250,000, while the total number of those who have died from famine has been conservatively estimated at 4,750,000.

Can we grasp the tragedy in these figures?

Over four and one-half million men and women, young mothers and boys and girls, have been sacrificed to the War God. They have died in anguish, unknown and unsung.

Perhaps the memory of their deaths would not forever fill us with horror if we could convince ourselves that those who died of starvation have not died in vain, but by their sacrifice they have pushed the Allies a little nearer victory. But the loss of these lives will have been appallingly useless UNLESS their deaths shall serve as a spur for us to redouble our efforts in food conservation and save the remaining millions in Europe who turn to us each day, pleading, "Give us this day our daily bread!"

What are you doing to prevent the further sacrifice of human life by starvation?

If you are not saving wheat flour and sugar, using substitutes, so that these vital necessities may be shipped to those suffering millions over there, you are shirking your patriotic duty and your responsibility, for other deaths by starvation will be heavy.



